

refuge there from the surrounding country districts after being subjected to violence by the Bulgars. Apparently they with all the rest of the citizens of Plovdiv who could not find means of flight, were about to fall again into the hands of the invaders. I saw the most pathetic sights before my departure among the terrified people leaving on the last trains.

Of the fugitives almost all were very old men, women or little children. The men of fighting age are all in the field, too, are the boys who are big enough to lift a gun.

The foreign consuls, already driven from pillar to post since they were compelled to leave Nish and finally found temporary headquarters in Monastir, have already left.

ALLIES IN BIG BATTLE WITH BULGAR TROOPS ACROSS FRONTIER LINE.

SALONICA, Greece, Nov. 17.—A big battle rages about Strumitsa to-day. Strong Bulgarian forces are engaged with a formidable body of British and French.

The allies have been inside the southwestern Bulgarian frontier for a week. Strumitsa is their first objective.

For the most part the allied forces consisted of British infantry and French artillery. With the big guns shelling the Bulgars out of their positions in advance of the infantry's movements, the invaders occupied heights around Strumitsa, west, south and east.

The Bulgars have been strengthening Strumitsa's defenses and bringing up heavy reinforcements.

In the past twenty-four hours the opposing main bodies have come in contact and the skirmishes merged into a great general battle.

The Bulgarian artillery at this point is equal to the allies. The British are bringing up fresh men rapidly from Salonica.

PARIS, Nov. 17.—An official Montenegro report received in Paris to-day follows:

"The enemy continued to make violent attacks on all fronts on Nov. 15. He was repulsed, sustaining heavy losses. A Montenegrin battalion of the Sanjak army captured an entire company of Austrian infantry, including the officers."

The Athens Messenger is quoted in a Havana despatch from the Greek capital as saying that there is possibility in the report that Dismal Pasha, Turkish Minister of Marine, will co-operate with the Entente allies in the rebellion he has organized against the Turkish Government, according to Constantinople advices, in Syria and Palestine. Dismal Pasha has always been friendly to the French, the newspaper states.

According to reports from German sources 15,000 Arabs have joined with the British Army in Mesopotamia. This army is said to have approached within a few miles of Baghdad.

ATHENS, Nov. 17.—The newspapers here declare that Earl Kitchener, British Minister of War, has left London, on the island of Lemnos, in the Aegean Sea, for the Gallipoli Peninsula.

SAYS HINDENBURG WILL LEAD ARMY INVADING FRANCE

Swiss Assert Famous Field Marshal Will Take Command in West.

WIFE DESCRIBES HIM.

Declares He Was "Grouchy" Over Fear He Wouldn't Be Called to War.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The morning Post's Berlin, Switzerland, correspondent says that it is reported there that Field Marshal von Hindenburg has left the eastern for the western front.

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—Frau von Hindenburg recently granted an interview to the Hungarian Journalist, Nicholas Veceli. The correspondent says:

"The wife of the great German Field Marshal is a woman of pronounced German type. She is tall and strong, and though past the half-century mark, nobody would take her to be more than forty years old."

"The Field Marshal has always been a typical soldier. When the war broke out he had been retired four years and was afraid he would not be permitted to go to the front," she said.

"An hour after mobilization he offered his services to the Minister of War, but he only received a non-committal answer, that he might be called later."

"He became grouchy and melancholy. At last, on Aug. 22, of last year he received a telegram informing him he had been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the German forces in Eastern Prussia, with Gen. von Ludendorff as his Chief of Staff."

"Now he was as happy as a boy and he started packing his things with feverish haste. I went to the depot with him and have not seen him since."

"My husband writes to me almost every day," she continued, "but he never mentions strategic matters and he does not even report his victories to me."

ITALIANS PIERCE AUSTRIAN LINES, VIENNA ADMITS

Obstinate Night and Day Battle on Both Sides of Monte San Michele.

ROME REPORTS GAINS.

Had Struggle in the Adige Valley and Along the Carso Plateau.

VIENNA (via London), Nov. 17.—The following official communication from General Headquarters has been issued:

"Italian war theatre: The northern sector of the plateau of Dobruva was the scene Monday of obstinate fighting for position on both sides of Monte San Michele. The fighting has continued day and night. On the northern slopes of this mountain the Italians repeatedly penetrated our lines. By evening we had almost completely succeeded in ejecting the enemy."

"Engagements at close quarters in the sector of San Martino continue before the Gorizia bridgehead. Enemy attacks on Podgora Heights were repulsed."

ROME (via Paris), Nov. 17.—The following official statement has been issued at the headquarters of the Italian General Staff:

"In the Adige Valley during the morning of the 14th we enlarged and straightened the position we occupy on the steep hill which slopes down from Zugnatura toward Rovereto on the left bank of the Leno de Valleria torrent. The enemy immediately opened a violent artillery fire from Monte Ghella and launched an infantry attack, but was repulsed. In the Padolia Valley enemy detachments tried to approach our positions were beaten off, leaving a number of prisoners in our hands."

"In the Fella Valley one of our detachments met enemy troops near Lusora which were attacked and dispersed, the enemy abandoning rifles and munitions in his flight."

"On the Carso Plateau yesterday

Girl Who Circled Globe to Wed And Declined at Journey's End



EUGENIA CAMPBELL

DENVER, Nov. 17.—Miss Eugenia Campbell, who married John Pieter Scholten, an honorary officer in the Dutch navy, by a proxy ceremony performed in Denver last January, has returned to the United States. Miss Campbell travelled to the Far East to become Scholten's wife. She met Scholten two years ago while he was recuperating in Colorado.

But at the other end of her journey disillusionment, not only concerning the Orient's romance, but concerning the man she had married by proxy, she says, awaited her. The tropics, where are many ports of missing men, had cast their spell upon Scholten, she avers, and she decided she could not marry him.

Miss Campbell was detained at Singapore and there Scholten met her and there she found out she did not wish to marry him.

Miss Campbell, whom the American Consul and his wife had taken under their protection, was stricken with tropical fever and reached San Francisco in October almost a nervous and physical wreck.

The proxy marriage was arranged through The Netherlands Department of State to save, as Scholten pointed out, Miss Campbell the embarrassment of making a long journey as a single woman to comply with certain technicalities in the Holland Immigration Law.

There was an intense artillery duel. The enemy's artillery fired all day against positions recently occupied by us without preventing our reinforcements from coming up. In the Monte San Michele zone the enemy made two violent successive attacks in force on our line, but each time was stopped by the rapid and accurate fire of our artillery and finally had to retreat with heavy loss."

FOOD RIOTS IN BERLIN; THREATS OF SHOOTING

Copenhagen Reports Drastic Measures to Be Taken Against Ringleaders.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Frequent food riots in Berlin, with threats from the authorities that the ringleaders will be shot if the disorders continue, are reported to-day in Copenhagen despatches.

The smashing of shop windows and looting by throngs of needy in the German capital are of daily occurrence, the reports say.

Warnings of punishment have been placarded throughout the city by the Ministry of the Interior. Besides death for the leaders, all the participants are advised that they risk ten-year terms of imprisonment.

COURT AWARDS \$31,500 TO AUTO SMASH VICTIMS

A verdict for \$31,500 was returned today in the United States District Court at Newark, N. J., Judge Haight presiding. In the \$35,000 suits for damages by Dr. Louis L. Adler, Jr., of Philadelphia, and others, against Edgar L. Kerns, a bottler, of Trenton, and Charles Lewis, his chauffeur, Kerns, by direction of the court, was excluded from the verdict, so Lewis will be held responsible for the entire amount.

The jury directed the verdict be divided so that Dr. Adler will receive \$14,500, his wife \$1,300, Mrs. Marianna Rogers, whose husband, Henry H. Rogers, was killed, \$15,000, and William H. Young, chauffeur for Dr. Adler, \$500.

The damages were awarded as the result of an automobile collision near Barnegat on a Sunday in August, 1914, when Lewis was conveying a fishing party in a truck owned by Kerns.

WINNERS AT BOWIE.

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